

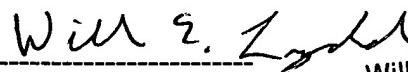
REMARKS

Upon entry of the present paper claims 1 and 9 will have been amended for grammatical purposes, with claims 1-16 pending before the Examiner. Specifically, claim 1, line 10 and claim 9, line 14 have each been amended to insert a comma after the phrase "partial cam grooves." Applicant thus notes that this amendment to the claims is to be considered merely a clarifying amendment that is cosmetic in nature, and is not intended to narrow the scope of the claims. Accordingly, this amendment should not be considered a decision by Applicants to narrow the claims in any way.

Applicant respectfully submits that the entry of the above amendment is proper under 37 C.F.R. § 1.312 since it does not require an additional search or examination, since it is made merely for grammatical purposes, and since no new matter is contained therein. Accordingly, the Examiner is respectfully requested to exercise his discretion and approve the present amendment for entry under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.312.

Should the Examiner have any questions concerning this Amendment or the present application, the Examiner is respectfully requested to contact the undersigned at the telephone number listed below.

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